

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

BIRMINGHAM ASSOCIATES LTD,

Plaintiff,

— against —

ABBOTT LABORATORIES,

Defendant.

11332 SAS.  
07 Civ. \_\_\_\_ ( )

**RULE 7.1 STATEMENT**

Pursuant to Fed. R. Civ. P. 7.1(a), Plaintiff, by and through its undersigned counsel, states that Middleton International Limited is the parent company of Birmingham Associates Ltd ("Birmingham"). No publicly held corporation owns 10% or more of Birmingham's stock.

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